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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & Goton, Ludgate Circus, E.C. BATES East), hitherto carried on by E. L. STAIN-HENDY & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C. SAMUEL DRACON & Co., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street.

NOVEMBER, and will Continue to be con-ARIS AND EUROPE :- AMEDEI PRINCE & Co, 36, Rue Lafayette, Paris. NEW YORK:-ANDREW WIND, 21, Park

the Name of STRINGER & Co. AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND :- GORDON & GOTCH, Melbourne and Sydney. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports

generally .- BEAN & BLACK, San Fran-SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.: -SAYLE & Co., Square, Singapore. - C. HRINSZEN & Oo. Manila.

CHINA :- Macao, F. A. DE CRUZ. Suca-NICHOLIS & Co. Foochow, HEDGE & FRIDAY. Shainfrai, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., all I KELLY & WALSH. Yokohama. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY

#### Banks.

NOTICE.

DULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK 1.-The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and One-mile-and-a-half. NOMINATIONS CLOSE Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their on SATURDAY, 19th December, 1885,

on week-days, 10 to 3 : Saturdays, 10 the Hongkong Club. 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500

premises in Hongkong. Business hours

in any one year. 3. - Depositors in the Sayings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cont, per annum interest, -Interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on

their daily bulances. 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis and LODGING in the above SHELTER can with a Pass-Book which must be pre- now be obtained at the TREASURY in Books sonted with each payment or with- of 20. Each Book costs \$3. Two or more drawal. Depositors must not make Tickets may be given where extended relief any entries themselves in their Pass is thought desirable. The Men relieved Books but should send them to be will be allowed opportunities of seeking written up at least twice a year, about | employment. the beginning of January and begin-

6,-Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

7. - Withdrawals may be made on demand but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book For the

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. T. JACKSON. Chief Manager.

Hongkong, May 7, 1885. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

RESERVE FUND,......84,500,000 RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION 3 500,000 OF DIVIDENDS, ..... RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- \$7,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-Hon. F. D. SASSOON. Depasty Chairman-A. Molves, Esq. BOTTOMLEY, M. GROTE, Esq. H. Hoppros, Esq. DALBYMPLE, Hon. W. KESWICK, A. P. McEWEN, Raq. W. H. FOREES, Esq. E. R. SASSOON, Raq.

CHIEF MANAGEB. Hongkong, ..... THOMAS JACKSON, Esq. MANAGEE. Shanghoi ..... EWEN CAMERON, Esq. LONDON BANKERS - London and County Bank.

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily

For Fired Deposits :-For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum. 4 per cent, it if 5 per cent. " " "it

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities and every description of Banking an Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON.

Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 24, 1885. THE NEW ORIENTAL BAND

CORPORATION, LIMITED. AUTHORISED CAPITAL.....£2,000,000 to send in to this Office a List of their Good value to

REGISTERED OFFICE, 40, THERADNEEDLE STREET, LONDON.

BRANCHES: In India, China, Japan and the Colonies.

THE Bank RECEIVES Money on Deposit, buys and sells Bills of Exchange, issues Letters of Oredit, forwards Bills for Collection, and transacts Banking and Agency Business generally on terms to be

had on application. OLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION PURCHASED ON ADVANTAGEOUS TERMS

H. A. HERBERT. Manager, Hongkong Branch.

Hongkong, July 4, 1885. WILLIAM DOLAN, SAILMAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER, English SILVER & ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.

22, PRAYA CENTRAL MOTTON. DUCKS, HEMP CANVAS. MANILA ROPE, AMERICAN OAKUM, LIFE BUOYS, . CORK JACKETS, &c., &c., &c.

號四十月一十年五十八百八千一英

Notice of Firm.

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS of BROWN, JONES

FIELD, was taken over by me on the 1sr

duoted by me, under the same Firm name.

A PHOPERTY and Combinssion Agency

has also Opened, to be Conducted under

Intimations.

HONGKONG RACES, 1886..

24th, 25th, and 26th February, 1886.

THE HONGKONG DERBY.

THE HONGKONG DERBY, a SWEEP-

- STAKES of \$20 each, half forfoit in

declared on or before the date of Closing

Entries, with \$100 added for lat Pony and

850 for 2nd. For all China Ponies bond

23rd January, 1886). First Pony; 70 per

cent.; Second Pony, 20 per cent.; Third

addressed to the CLERK of the Course, at

GOVERNMENT SHELTER.

FICKETS ontitling DESTITUTES other

Charitable persons are earnestly request-

ed to refrain from giving Money to Des-

TITUTES, and to avail themselves of the

above or some other organised method of

HONGKONG STEAM LAUNDRY

COMPANY, LIMITED.

A-N-EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEET-

A ING of the Shareholders of the above

Company is hereby called for WEDNES-

DAY, the 25th Instant, at the Hongkong

Horet, at 3 o'clock pruis, to decide as to

whether the LAUNDRY be CLOSED OF CAR-

GRIFFITH'S

NOW READY,

1. DUDDELL STREET.

GRIFFITH & Co.,

MANUFACTURERS

OF THE

LONDON ÆRATED WATERS.

Continue to Supply:

At the same Moderate Charges.

NOTICE.

TOR the Convenience of Customers, the

Productions of the CHINA SUGAR

REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED, can hence-

forward be obtained by RETAIL, FOR

OASH, at No. 3, PEEL STREET, at the same

prices as at the REFINERY; or Retail

Orders will be delivered at addresses in

town on applicants forwarding their Monthly

OHINA FIRE INSURANCE COM-

PANY, LIMITED.

arranged. Returns not sent in before the

30TH NOVEMBER NEXT, will be made up by

the Company, and no subsequent Claims or

Hongkong, October 1, 1885.

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co.,

METEOROLOGICAL

INSTRUMENTS.

VOIGTLANDER'S CELEBRATED

ADMIRALTY & IMRAY OHARTS.

NAUTICAL BOOKS.

GOLD & SHIVER JEWELLERY,

in great variety.

DIAMONDS.

AND -

A Splendid Collection of the Latest Lounon

DIAMOND JEWELLERY,

PATTERNS, at pery moderate prices, 742

BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES.

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,

Secretary.

Alterations will be allowed.

By Order of the Directors,

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents.

LEMONADE.

GINGEBADE.

RASPBERRYADE,

&c., &c.,

\_\_\_\_\_1\_DUDDELL STREET.

WATER.

Hongkong, June 9, 1885.

REFINERY at East Point.

Hongkong, July 27, 1885.

SELTZER

SARSAPARILLA II

VIEWS OF HONGKON

Hongkong, November 11, 1885.

R. O. HURLEY.

Secretary.

Hougkong, June 13, 1885.

than Chinese to 24 hours BOARD

Hongkong, November 13, 1885.

H. J. H. TRIPP,

Clerk of the Course.

By Order,

Pony, 10 per cent. Weight 10st. 10ths.

fide Griffins at date of Entry (SATURDAY,

Hongkong, November 6, 1885.

-H. L. STRINGER.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1885.

Established February, 1845.

Business Notices.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. GOO

DEMON, 'Champion,' and 'Treble-Grip' TENNIS BATS.
'Cavendish' Lawn-Tennis POLES and NETS. The 'Perfect' Seamless Lawn-Tennis BALLS.

Fancy Merino Tennis SHIRTS, Silk Tennis SHIRTS. Rowing JERSEYS, and CAPS in a variety of colours, Navy-Blue 'Franklin' SWEATERS, Boating SCARFS. Cricketing BATS, BALLS, GLOVES, and other SUNDRIES. Well-seasoned Ash BILLIARD CUES, \$1.25 each.

Double-Barrelled FOWLING PIECES and FITTINGS, from \$45. Sportsman's SUNDRIES and AMMUNITION of all kinds. Courier BAGS, Cartridge BAGS and BELTS, LEGGINGS.

Specially Selected 'PERLA DEL ORIENTE' MANILA CIGARS AND CHEROOTS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, November 12, 1885.

JAPAN!!! JAPAN!! JAPAN!

23 IMPORTANT NOTICE. TO

OF YOROHAMA. JAPAN. Established—1869. Beg respectfully to announce that they will offer FOR SALE on or before the 20th Instant, at the HONGKONG HOTEL, an extensive and valuable

Collection of Ancient and Modern CURIOSITIES

Works of the Highest Art. OVER 50,000 SETS AND PIECES FROM 50 CENTS TO 85,000 PER SET. OLD and SHARR INLAND IRON BRONZES and other METALS, CLOSSONNE ENAMELS, GOLD and other Lacques WARE, EMDROIDERED SILE and SATIN BROGADE COURT and other Robes, Ivory ORNAMENTS and CARVINGS, CABINETS, PANNELS, PICTURES in IRON and BRONZE, GOLD and SILVER JEWELLERY, SWORDS and SWORD GUARDS, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Gowns and JACKETS, TABLEAUX, GENUINE SATSUMA, IMARI and KAGA PORCELAIN, DOUBLE EMBROIDEBED and WOVEN SCREENS, and Hundreds of other ARTICLES both Useful and ORNAMENTAL, and in all respects different from the usual run of so-called JAPANESE CURIOS.

The entire collection was intended for the Bombay Exhibition, which has suddenly been abandoned, and as our Goods were lying here 4 months in Godowns, to avoid the great risk and expenses of re-shipment to Yokohama the whole of the Stock will be offered at most reasonable prices to suit both wholesale and retail buyers.

INSPECTION IS RESPECTFULLY INVITED. 978. (To our Exhibits at the Calcutta International Exhibition 1883.4 have been awarded 12 Gold, 5 Silver and 4 Bronze Medals with First-class Certificates of Morit). Hongkong, November 14, 1885.

Victoria Hotel. Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and siry positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much en- Messrs. JARDINE, MATRESON & Co. larged and improved and is now one of the principal Horaus in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description.

An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD and SMOKING ROOMS.

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken. Mesers. DORABJEE & HING KEE,

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

Ladies and Children's CARHMERE HOSE, spliced knees. Clerical and Coloured MERINO HOSE. Spun Silk, Merino and Cashmere Vests.

Colsured and Black SILK HOSE. COMBUNATION GARMENTS. WOOL PETTICOATS, with bodices. JERSEYS and JERSEY SUITS. Gentlemen's

JOTTON, MERINO, CASHMERE and SCOTON KRIT HOSE and HALF-HOSE. MERINO VESTS and DRAWERS.

Ladies Dark-coloured Kin Gloves, 2, and 6 Buttons. Ladies' Krp Groves, 10 and 14 Buttons. Ladies' Swede GLOVES, 6 and 16 Buttons. Gent's Cold KID & CALF GLOVES, all lengths. CLOTH KNITTED and Military GLOVES. Evening GLOVES, Lavender, White and Primroue.

KNICKERBOOKER HOSE.

JERSEY SUITS.

MILLINERY, DRESS-MAKING, TAILORING, VICTORIA EXCHANGE, November 10, 1885.

QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

Requirements in writing direct to the Scotch Tweed Suit, \$15.00.

Over 100 patterns of Stylish ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1884. Tweeds of CHAREHOLDERS are hereby requested | Exceptionally ing 31st December last, in order that the select from. PROPORTION of PROFIT for that year to be paid as BONUS to Contributors may be

While advertising our 'Specialties' we also wish to draw the attention of our Customers to our, now, complete Stock of TWEED SUITINGS, COAT-INGS, TROUSERINGS, SER-GES, FLANNELS, &c. A large and choice selection of the newest FABRICS of English, Scotch Continental Manufacture, from medium to the very finest qualities.

color and 5 pm. suitable to the climate.

Dress Suit.

\$30.00.

Of West of

EnglandSuper-

fine Cloth made

to our special

Hongkong, October 1, 1885.

LIST OF NEW BOOKS AND NEW EDITIONS. LIAYDN'S 'DICTIONARY OF DATES' -brought down to the Summer of

Chromometer, Watch & Clock Makers, 1885. Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths, Pro Proctor's 'How to Play Whist.' ATAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND General Gordon's Khartoum Journals. Hunter's Bits of Old China. The Cross and the Dragon, by Rev. B. C. Henry; a Record of Missionary Lafe in LITCHTE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPASSES.

The Ansons in Asiatic Temple. Reed's Engineer's Hand Book'-entirely New Editon. Box's 'Practical Treatise on Heat.' Christofle & Co.'s ELECTRO-PLATED WARE Box on the Strength of Materials. Banting in India -a treatise on corpulsace in hot climates and its prevention. Morley's 'First Sketch Book of English

Hongkong, November 6, 1885.

Literature.

"Hints on Business"-Practical and Legal. \* Field Exercises '-latest edition, Queen's Regulations. Royal Warrant on Pay and Promotion. Manual of Military Law. Deacon's Dictionary of Foreign Phrases. The Letter Writer of Modern Society.' Letter Writer's Vade-Mecum. Cavendish's Whist Developments. Sir E. J. Reed on the Stability of Ships. Lecky's 'Wrinkles in Navigation.' Locke's Sugar Growing and Refining. 'Instructions in Pottery Painting.' Southgate's Suggestive Thoughts on Reigious Subjects. Menus Made Easy:

tion for Passengers, and carries a Doctor and Stewardsas. Society in London. · For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, HUNOKONG, Hongkonk, November 12, 1885.

Shipping.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

OHAMPAGNE,

BORDEAUX CLARETS AND

FOR SALE.

TAXCELLENT MILK COW, AND COV

FOR SALE.

PASLG.

Hongkong, September 4, 1885.

Hongkong, April 11, 1885.

. FOR SALE.

TENNIS GROUND attached.

To Let.

THE PEAK.

TO LET

TO UNGALOW at Mount Kellet. Five

1) ROOMS, TENNIS COURT, &cc., &cc.

Apply to

COURT.

auit applicants.

TO LET.

Hougkong, November 9, 1885.

SUITES OF APARTMENTS.

Apply to

Apply to

No. 4, OLD BAILEY STREET.

Hongkong, May 11, 1885.

TO LET.

COLLEGE CHAMBERS | Cate Horse

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

THE PEAK.

TO LET, with immediate possession.

A BUNGALOW (partly FURNISHED)

situated on Mount Kellett. Rent moderate.

Hongkong, November 12, 1885. 1971

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SINGAPORE.

Port on SATURDAY, the 21st Instant, at

OUEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

Capt. THOMPSON, will be

Hongkong, November 13, 1885. 1971

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CA LAL

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents.

The Steamship

Hongkong, November 13, 1885.

SATURDAY, the 21st Instant

or about the 21st Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

For Freight, apply to

The Steamship

Straits of Gibraltar.

RUSSELL & Co.

The Co.'s Steamship

Patroclus.

Captain DEWAR, will be

DENNYS & MOSSOP.

43, Queen's Road:

DE L'UNIVERS), Single ROOMS or

BATH ROOMS, &c. Rent mode-

C. F. A. SANGSTER,

A. A. DOS REMEDIOS, Deceased.

REMEDIOS & Co.

DENNYS & MOSSOP

43, Queen's Road:

Apply to

Dubos Frores & de Gornon & Co.'s

Baxter's Celebrated Barley Bree

Hongkong, July 18, 1884.

ULES MUMM & Co.

Steamers.

日八初月十年酉乙

FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Company's Steamer WHITE WINES Capt. P. H. LOFF, will be WHISKY, -\$74 per Case of 1 doz: Ports on MONDAY, the 16th Instant, at GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

> For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG. Hongkong, November 12, 1885. - 197

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHI S. S. Timor. COMPANY, LIMITED, FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.

The Co.'s Steamship Esmeralda, THE SPANISH STEAME Capt. G. TAYLER, will be Ports on MONDAY, the 16th Instant, at 5 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply-to RUSSELL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, November 13, 1885.

HOUSE at the PEAK, with Large DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED. good View of the Harbour and out to Sea.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHO The Co.'s Steamship Capt. F. Asnron, will be less notice to the contrary be given before despatched for the above 2 p.m. To-DAY, the 11th Instant. Ports on TUESDAY, the 17th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, November 12, 1885. 1966

BEN' LINE OF STEAMERS

For 1886 or longer if desired. FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIGGO. JOHN D. HUTCHISON. The Steamship Hongkong, September 17, 1885. 1625

Capt. WEBSTER, due here on the 17th Instant, will TO BE LET. have quick despatch. No. 4, RICHMOND TERRACE. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Comfortable DWELLING HOUSE, cool Agents Ben Line of Steamers, A in Summer, pleasantly situated and

commanding picturesque views. TENNIS. Hongkong, November 13, 1885. 1975 Fire Insurance will be effected. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, J. D. HUMPHREYS. LIMITED. Hougkong, November 3, 1885. 1908

FOR PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY TO LET. ISLAND, COOKTOWN TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, OFFICES and CHAMBERS, No. MELBOURNE, &c., QUEEN'S ROAD, lately occupied by VIA FOOCHOW.

The Steamship A-\$1 BIRD & PALMER, Who will exhibit Plans and arrange Offices Hongkong, April 8, 1885.

WEDNESDAY, the 18th Instant, at 4 p.m. This Vessel has unusually good Cabin Accommodation, situated amidships, upon the upper dock. For Freight or Passage, apply to ATO. 9. REMEDIOS TERRACE, 6 ROOMS,

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, November 4, 1885.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship-Commandant MACH. will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, November 5, 1885. NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES,

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship Tanais. Commandant PAUL will be despatched for KOBE and YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of the Mail Steamer from Europe. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, November 5, 1885. 1926 Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK. The Fast and Favorite American Clipper Ship FRANK FOWLE, Master, will load

here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. Rate of Freight, Shillings Fifteen per ton of 40 cubic feet. For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, November 6, 1885. FOR BAN FRANCISCO.

The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship Palmyra, MINOIT, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, October 26, 1885. FOR VIOTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Captain Gasson, will be despatched as above on The 3/3 L.1.1. British Barque Done, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will This Steamer has excellent Accommodahave quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, November 2, 1886.

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH. Notices to Consignees.

SHIRE' LINE OF STEAMERS

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S.S. DENBIGHSHIRE. FROM HAM-BURG, ANTWERP, LONDON ANI SINGAPORE.

YONSIGNEES of Cargo are horoby in formed that all Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, at Wanchai, behind the premises known as No. Blue Buildings, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless notice to the contrary be given before

Noon To DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 18th Instant, will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be

presented to the Undersigned on or before the 18th November, or they will not be re-No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, November 11, 1885 -- 1955 FROM LONDON, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE. THE Steamship Glengron, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may Optional Cargo will be forwarded un-

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 18th November will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, November 11, 1885. 1953 UNION LINE

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE THE Steamship Gulf of Papua, Captain Lagsarwood, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods

from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to Japan, unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-MORBOW, 12th November. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before

the 17th November, or they will not be re-RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, November 11, 1885.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. Capt. Williams, will be despatched as above on S.S. ANGERS, FROM YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI.

> CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersigna-ture, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected,

or they will not be recognised. ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, November 12, 1885. 1968

All Claims against the Steamer must be

presented to the Undersigned immediately,

Intimations.

CHEE WO LING KEE HAS always on Hand STEAM LAUNCHES FOR HIRE. Charges Wing-Shing, Wing-Cheong, and Wing-Tye.

For first hour, n second n n every subsequent hour. Wing-Muk, Wing-Loy, and Wing-Lee. For first hour. a second or subsequent hour, - 82. Rates for towing Vessels and Cargo-boats. or use of LAUNCHES for Excursions to Macao, Canton, or other places may be arranged at No. 29, WING WO STEHET. Hongkong, June 13, 1885.

NOTICE. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

HIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Herbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention. In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dis-

D. GILLIES.

Hongkong, August 25; 1885. DENTISTRY.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP. MODERATE FEES.

MR. WONG TAI FONG, Surgeon Dentist (FORMERLY ARTICLED APPRENTION AND LAT-TRRLY ASSISTANT TO DR. ROOFES.) A T the urgent request of his European A and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occupied by Dr. ROGERS; No. 2, DUDDELL STREET.

CONSULTATION FREE.

Discount to missionaries and families. Sole Address 2, DUDDELL STREET.

(Next to the New Oriental Bank.) Hongkong, January 13, 1885,

18 822 pkgs. Téa, containing 101,229 lbs. Congou, 230,181 lbs. Scented Caper, 54,578

ibs. Tea, 292 bales Weste Silk, 45 pkgs.

bales Hemp. For Continent : from Hong-

keng, Canton and Macao, 54 bales Fine

and Raw Silk. 37 cases Silk Piece Goods

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Per Esmeralda; at 4.30 p.m., on Monday

Per Alwine, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the

Per Straits of Gibraltar, at 3.30 p.m., on

Quotations.

HONGKONG, November 14.

New Benares, cash,... 550

New Malwa, cash,..... 540

Old Malwa, cash, .... 550

Persian, Oily, cash ... 500

Persian, Paper tied,... 540

Exchange.

Demand, ... 3/51

30 days' sight, private 741

Temperature.

Queen's Road. }

4 P.M. ...

1 P.M.... 29.240

1 P.M. ... 72

Do-1-P.M. 62

Hongkong, November 14.

BAROMETER- 9 A.M. ... 30.330

THERMOMETER-9 A.M....

30 days' sight, ...

4 months' sight, ...

Sovereigns. .... 8 5.72

Documentary 4 months sight,

Shanghai, demand,...

Allowance, Taels ..... 72 @ 80

Allowance, Taels ..... 72 @ 80

Allowance, Taels ..... 16 @ 32

Allowance, Taels..... 16 @ 32

cash,... 525

Saturday, the 21st inst.

OPIUM-New Patna, cash,... 580

16th inst., instead of as previously

MAILS will close:

For AMOY AND MANILA .-

the 16th inst.

lõth inst.

For HAIPHONG.—

FOR SINGAPORE.

the 17th inst.

the 18th inst.

For SINGAPORE.

FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK .-



## Intimations.

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## To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, ROTTER DAM AND HAMBURG, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship Captain CHRISTIANSEN, the Ports on TUESDAY, the 17th Instant, at 5 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.,... Hongkong, November 14, 1885.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY, (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates. for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-

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BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, November 14, 1885.

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THE Steamship OCEANIC, will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on THURSDAY, the 26th November, at 3 p.m. Connection being made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the

day previous to sailing. RETURN PASSAGES. -- Presengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 % from Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year, an allowence of 10 % will be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25 % from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to through fares from China and Japan to

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Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central, C. D. HARMAN. Acting Agent.

Hongkong, November 14, 1885. 1984

COMPANY.

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THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOROHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

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To-day's Advertisements.

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The Steamship

SOY SING.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on WEDNESDAY, the 9th December, at 3 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yekohama and other Japan

Ports, to San Krancisco, to Atlantic and Inland Oities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted England, France, and Germany by all

trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. RETURN PASSAGES .- Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 % from Roturn Fare; if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of 10 % will be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25 % from Roturn Furo. These allowances do not apply to through fares from China and Japan to

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C. D. HARMAN. Acting Ayend.

Hongkong, November 14, 1885.

# Not Responsible for Debts.

Aleither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-B. H. STRENKEN, German brig, Captain

Chr. Meyer. - Meichers & Co. Flinton. - Melchers & Co. ISAAC REED, American ship, Capt. E. C.

Colley, Order. .... KILLARNEY, British steamer, Captain H. O'Noill. Gibb, Livingston & Co. NANAIMO, British barque, Captain John odd,—Russell-& Co.—— -TITAN, American ship, Capt. C. H. Allyn. =Russell & Co.

VENTURA, Span. barque, Capt. Urisandi. -Remedios & Co. Tobago, British barque, Captain Rober Crosbie. -Gillman & Co.

#### SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. November 14, 188b :--

Elsa, German steamer, 552, Ch. Kuschert Haiphong November 10, and Hoihow 12, Captain Grandin, will be despatched for the above General .- A. R. MARTY. Port on TUESDAY, the 17th Instant, in Esmeralda, British steamer, 395, G. A. and 3 pkgs. Sundries. Tayler, Manila November 11, General .-

RUSSELL & Co. Sagludien, French str., 2,580, Homory Shanghai November 12, Mails and General Hongkong, November 14, 1885. 1986 -Messageries Maritimes.

Pena-chao-hai. Chinese gunboat, from

Strathairly, British steamer, 1,236 Boughton, Kutchinotza November 9, Coal. -Butterfield & Swike.

> DEPARTURES. November 14 :--

Lido, for Whampoa. Andreas, for Kutchinotzu. Marie, for Touron. Denbighshire, for Nagasaki. San Pablo, for Yokohama and San F'e sec. Nestor, for Singapore and London. Taisang, for Singapore and Calcutta, Glenavon, for Shanghai."

CLEARED.

Milton, for Canton.

Yangisze, for Shanghai.

Arratoon Apear, for S'pore and Calcutta. Peny-chao-hai, Chineso gunbont, for a cruise. Mongkut, for Swatow and Bangkok. Sant : Filomena, for Iloilo. Alwine, for Haiphong.

PASSENGERS

ARRIVED. Per Elsa, from Haiphong, &c., 3 Europenns, and 15 Chinese. Per Esmeralda, from Manila, 82 Chinese. Per Sughalien, from Shanghai : for Hungkong, Messrs Anjer, Sassoon, Layton and Starr ; for Marseilles, Messra Craven. Meyers, Ibsin and Golvenbaum, Rev. Boulthard, and Kev. Sambrock.

Per Glenavon, for Shanghai : from Hongkong, Messra Ch Tyrrell, W. A. Cornaby from London, Mrs and Miss Way, Messrs Davis and McFadyar. Per Marie, for Touron, 1 European, and

Per Denbighshire, for Nagasaki, 4 Euro-Per Yungtaze, for Shanghai, Mr Hall, and | Cradits. 10 Chinese. Per San Pable, for Yokohama, Mr L. India, Wire, ... 227 Company, No. 504, Queen's Road Central. Englehard; for San Francisco, 135 Chinose Por Fooksang, for Shaughai, Mr Lee Man Gold Leaf 99 fine ... \$28.90

Per Nester, for Singapore, 40 Chinese. Per Taisang, for Singapore, 361 Chinese; or Calcutta, Mr W. Boyn on. TO DEPART.

Per Port Phillip, for Singapore, Mr | (Taken at Mesers Falconer & Co.'s Premises, Siegelman ; for New York, Mr Bradley. Per Alwine, for Haiphong, 10 Chinese. Per Mongkut, for Swatow, 100 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Esmeralda reports First part moderate N.E. breeze and fine weather. Second part strong N.E. gale with tremondous sea, near as Hongkong, DARTMOUTH, British barque, Capt. Benj. had strong N.E. preeze and fine weather consideable sea.

CARGOES. Per-S. S. Lactis, sailed 8th November : -To London, 15,073 boxes Tea, containing 87,190 fbs. Congon, 172,494 lbs. Scented Caper, 50,547 fbs. Scented Orange Pekoe and 6,300 fbs. Southong-total 316,531 fbs. Tea: 1 case Opium (prepared), 21 cases Silks, 300 cases Preserves and 6 pkgs. Sundries. From Manila, 200 bales Hemp.

Do. 4 P.M. -Maximum ... 72 Do. Minimum over night 64

4 P.M. ...

(Wet bulb) 9 A.M.

METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. AT 4 P.M. TO-DAY. Temperature . Humidity . Direction of Wind . N Force . . . . . . . . . . . . 3

Weather . . . b

Hongkong Observatory, 14 Nov., 1885.

A. G. STOKES, Share Broker,

Canton and Macso, 6 cases Silk Piece Goods, Vessels Advertised as Loading.

November:-For London: from Hongkong,

Per S. S. Hydaspes, sailed on the 10th

Destination.	Vessels.	Captain.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
Havre, &c., via Sucz Canal	Olympia (8)	Christiansen	Siemssen & Co	November 17, at 5 p.m
Kobé and Yokohama	Tenais (s)	Paul	blessagenes martumes	Quick despaten.
London, via Suez Canal.	Patroclus (s)	Thompson	Butterneld & Swire	November 2L
Landon wie Suez Canal	Glanesgles (8)	JARROD	Mardine, Marneson & Co	About November 21.
Landon and Ports of Call	Ancona (s)	R. G. Murray	P. & U. S. M. Co	Nov. 24, at 4 p.m.
Manila via Amov	Esmeralda (s)	G. Tayler	Kussell & Co	November 16, at 5 p.m
Marseilles, &c., via Saigon	Saghalien (E)	Homery	Messageries Maritimes	November 17, at noon
New York	South American	Frank, Cowle	Russell & Co	Quick despatch.
Salgon	Harter (a)	Grandin		Nov. 17, afternoon.
Chair Thomas along a land Market have	Oceanic (s)		O. & O. S. S. Co	November 26, at 3 p.m
San Francisco, via Tokonama San Francisco, via Yokohama San Francisco	City of Rio de Janeiro (s)		Pacific Mail S. S. Co	December 9, at 3 p.m
San Francisco.	Palmyra	Minott	Russell & Co	Quick despatch.
Shanghai	JATOTO CHILDREN	1312CC	WICHBIEL GITES DIRITERINGS	Cancy accomment
Shanghai, via Amny	Antenor (8)	Bragg.,	Butterneld of Swire	Liovember 22.
Sincepore	Straits of Gibraltar (8)	Dewar	Eussell & Co	November El. at a D. T
Swatow and Banckok	Mongkut (a)	P. H. Lott	Yuen Fat Hong	Nov. 16, at daylight.
Quinters Amorrand Kaachows	Hainhong (s)	F. Ashton.	Douglas Lapraik & Up	Nov. 17, at daylight.
Sydney and Melbourne, &c Victoria (British Columbia)	Whampos (B)	Williams	Butterfield & Swire	November 18, at 4 p.m
Vistorie (Reitish Columbia)	Nanaimo	Dodd	Russell & Co.	Quick despatch
Yokohama and Hiogo	Rongine (a)	Webster	Gibb Livingston & Co	Quick despatch
TOXOURIUS RUG THORO.	Tronging falimental	To Control of the Con	Transfer and Phones on Chapter 1444	

		SHA	re li	ST.—QUO	TATIONS.		November 14, 1885.
Stocks.	Nos. of Shares	Value.	Paid-	Position per Reserve.	LAST REPORT. Balancec.f'ward	Last Dividend	Closing Quotations; Cash.
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	60,000	,12ħ	<b>\$</b> 125	\$ 4,500,000 For equali- sation of div. \$ 500,000	The state of the state of	£ 2 half year	162 % prem., cash, buyers
North-China Insurance Co., Ld Yangteze Insurance Company, Ld Union Insurance Society Co., Ld China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld	2,000	25 1,250	£ 25 3	2 50,000 534,000	Fls. 461,023.02 \$ 496,329	***	Tls. 300 per share Tls. 122 n cash 8450 n ex div. \$62 n cash, ex div.
Canton Insurance Office Co., Ld	10,000	250	\$ 50	155,000	3 242,276 Credit balance	10 %	280 " ex div., buye
Chinese Insurance Co., Limited Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld China Fire Insurance Co., Ld	12	250	\$ 50	8 909,609.66	3 297,568.07	\$20 for 1883	\$370 " cash \$75 " cash
HK. C. and M. Steamboat Co., L.1.			Q 75	8 206,236.55	<b>9</b>		561 prem., cash
Douglas Steamship Co., Limited	20,000 \$	3.		deprec.' fund 8 86,764.16	8 402.22	12% year ending June30/84	Par
Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited 60,000 shares issued	18,387 31,212	e 10 e 10					5 % discount, cash
China and Manila S. S. Co., Ld	3,500	<b>3</b> 100	all .	•••	***		25 discount
H'kong & Whampos Dock Ca, &d. HK. and China Gas Co., Limited.	10,000 5,000 1,900	\$ 125 £ 10 £ 10	\$ 125 £ 10 £ 7.10	\$ 18,000 £ 8,552.17.10	<b>8</b> 4,259.01	6 % half year	68 % prem., cash, buyers \$100 per share
Hongkong Hotel Company, Lt	2,000	\$ 100 \$ 100	100 50	•••	<b>2,236.76</b>	Tron, or	Old, \$155 per share ex div New, \$ 77% 11
China Sugar Company, Limited Hongkong Ice Company, Limited Hongkong Bakery Company, Ld	1,250 600	\$ 100 \$ 50	\$ 100 \$ 50	30,000	3 442.11	<b>\$10</b> <b>\$10</b>	\$62 per share \$163 per share, cash \$125: "
Luzon Sugar Company, Limited Perak Tin Mining & S'ting Co Selangore Tin Mining Co. (S'hai)	7,000 5,000 2,500	\$ 50 \$ 100	all	***	\$ 829.09 First year do.	3.7	\$78 \$20 11. } nominal
Punjom & Sunghie Dua Samatar Mining Co.	40,000	\$ 10	8 5			-ور	87 buyers, 71 sellers
H'kong Rope Manufactory Co., Ld. LOANS. Chinese Imperial 1881	3,000 8.665	Arriver.	100	Rates of Int.	First year Payable. Juno16&Doc.10		\$67 in cash.
1884 A	2790 2790	\$ 500 \$ 500	al: all	8 Z 8 Z	March 15 June 30	•••	2 %.prem. 5 %
Sugar Debentures, 1880	3189 600			.8 X	Oct. 15 June & Decem.		1 % prem.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW

Union Church.—Divine Worship, 11 Sundries; from Amoy, 78 boxes Tea, con- A.M. Rev. E.J. Eitel. Service in Chines taining 1.560 fbs. Tea : from Manila, 850 2 P.M.—Rev. J. Chalmers, M.A., L.L.D. SEAMEN'S SERVICES. The Services for Seamen which have been hitherto held the Mission Church, Queen's Road, will held in the future in Union Church. On Sunday and Friday evenings at 7.30. All

GERMAN BETHESDA CHAPEL -Service Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House West Point. Per Mongkut, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the

9 a.m. Mass and Sermon. 5.30 P.M. Evening Service, Benediction.

Shipping. Daylight .- Mongkut leaves for S'tow, &c.

For SWATOW, AMOY & FOODHOW.-General Memoranda. Per Harphony, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the 16th inst.

Per Olympia, at 4.30 p.m., on Tuesday, or before this date. WEDNESDAY, November 18:-Claims against the Denbighshire must be For STRAITS AND CALCUTTA. --Per Killarney, at 4 p.m.; on Wednesday,

sent in to Messrs Adamson, Bell Co., on or before this date. Goods per Glenavon undelivered after this date subject to rent. Goods per Denbighshire undelivered after this date subject to rent.

3 p.m. Moeting of the Hongkong Steam Police. In face of a large alien poput tober 31. Laundry at the Hongkong Hotel. MONDAY. November 30 :-List of Contributions to the Chins Fire Insurance Company, Ltd., to be sent

SATURDAY, December 19 :-

in before this date.

ON MONDAY.

CARDS

TO-DAY.

Are just in time to be despatched by THE NEXT FRENCH MAIL FOR CHRISTMAS,

THE NEXT ENGLISH MAIL FOR NEW YEAR'S DAY

A. S. WATSON & Co..

HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Hongkong, November 13; 1885.

The publication of this issue commenced al 7.40 p.m.

# The China Ithil.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1885.

ONE or two points connected with the late dragon procession and the disturbance arising therefrom are worthy of remark. The stipulation of the Government of Hongkong to refrain from undue interference with the customs of the Chinese was never intended to cover conduct such as that recently witnessed in our streets. To attack a solitary n. policeman for doing his duty is a custom, social or religious, which cannot be tolerated for a moment; and, as we have already mentioned in a previous issue, Mr Wodehouse did well to support the Police and punish the impudent disturbers of the peace by imposing a sentence of six months' imprisonment upon the three offenders. Other reasons exist for firmness in this matter. Of late the conduct of the processionist class has not been such as to call for m. special proise; and a spirit of bravado and defiance of authority bas shown itself upon more than one occasion m. which would have completely justified the local authorities in refusing all permits for noisy demonstrations for a long time. With their usual Asiatic obtuseness, however, the Chinese utterly failed to comprehend the meaning of leniency; and the recent assault of the Police was the result. It is to be hoped Matins !- Venite, Stainer; Psalms, Cooke that for the future the authorities will exercise more discrimination in granting these permits to obstruct traffic and inconvenience the public generally, now that the Chinese have shown that they cannot use their privileges with reason or discretion.

The investigation of the case now disposed of by the punishment of the three Chinamen, brought to light the defects of the system hitherto followed by the authorities in respect of the permits for public demonstrations or so-called religious ceremonies. It has been asserted that the Head of the Police Department is not consulted, nor St. Stephen's Church, (all Services in Chiis he even notified, regarding such permits, although there can be little doubt. that the Police are more concerned in such doings then any other department of the Government. There need be no WE direct attention to Messrs Huhn & Co.'s doubt now, at all events, that the Police advertisement on our front page. were very particularly interested in the last procession, seeing that it ended in THE Russian corrects Opritechnick arrived a threatened riot, and a procession of at Manile on the 8th instant. prisoners to the Charge Room of the of the processionists as we do to an as stated in our local column last night average official document; but the shout of the crowd, 'We've got permis- The sum collected at Manila for the cruiser cion from the Registrar General, there- Fittinings amounted to \$52,684 up to the fore what business have the Police to Sth instant. interfere, taken in connection with the the Registrar General should be one- Singapore for this port to-day.

even appear upon the form. The Sur-

voyor General has, of course, to same

tion the erection of any building; but

street procession is more than or-

dinary mortals can understand. Under

present circumstances, the sauction of

the Colonial Surgeon, or of the General

Commanding the Troops, would be much

more appropriate. It certainly would

be more in keeping with the cause of

order were the officer who recommends

the granting of a permit for such a de-

now performed by the Registrar General)

held responsible for carrying out the

duty of suppressing any disorders caus-

ed thereby. But to set the ball rolling,

and without even notifying the Police,

to leave to the Police the burden of

keeping the peace thus threatened, is a

proceeding which could only become

possible in a Colony mainly guided by

lation, it is simple madness to do so.

The peace and good order of the Colony

depend upon the Police, and most cre-

ditably have they done their duty

Hence it is that the public universally

commend the recent decision of the Po-

lice Magistrate; and it is to be hoped

that the Executive will in future act

more in accordance with the dictates of

common sense than they have hitherto

done, in the granting of permits for

useless processions, and in ignoring the

Captain Superintendent of Police when

TELEGRAMS.

(Via Southern Line.)

BELGIUM.

Belgium is negotiating with a view to

LOCAL AND GENERAL

PASSED SUEZ CANAL

OUTWARD BOUND:-Cachemire, Sept. 22

Stanmore, October 20; Glamis

France, Sept. 29: Bordeaux, Oct. 2

Person, Oct. 13; Drachenfels, Oct. 16

tle, Glenlyon, and Titun, October 23

Glencos, Priam, Oct. 27; Iraniaddy,

Oct. 3); Oxfordshire, Hettor, Nov. 3.

Deponshire, Oct. 9 : Essex, Galley o

Lorne, Orestes, Oct. 9; Strathleven.

HOMEWARD BOUND :-Benalder, Sept. 15

joining the Monetary Convention.

London, 13th November.

such permits are granted.

ibs. Scented Orange Pekee-total 375,988 | RELIGIOUS SERVICES seamon are invited to attend.

> the German language, by Rev. F. Hartmann, every Sunday, at half-past ton A.M., in the monstration (we believe that is the part ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH, Garden Road.

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY.

#### 5 p.m.—Esmeralda leaves for Manila, &c.

an incapable Executive. The thing is simply preposterous; and although the Tuesday, November 17 :-Claims against the Gulf of Papua must experience furnished by the last dragon be sent in to Messes Russell & Co., on demonstration will probably materially after the present system, its utter ridiculousness is none the less apparent.

It is fortunate that the lesson has been imparted to the Executive in so mild a manner, and that the promptitude and discretion of the Police saved the Execu-

WEDNESDAY, November 25 :-

Nominations for Hongkong Derby, 1886,

No. 2. -Vol. XIV. -OF THE-

# WILL BE READY

THE LATEST NOVELTIES

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR

FROM LONDON.

At Home by Parcel Post.

Anchises, Glengarry, Oct. 30 ; Deucalion, The next FRENCH MAIL, per the M. M. this port on Thursday, the 12th instant,

at 2 s.m., and may be expected here or or about Monday, the 10th inst.

for this port on Friday, the 18th inst., at 4 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Thursday, the 19th

> Union Line steamer Prinz Georg left Singapore for this port on the 11th inst.; and may be expected here on or about the 18th inst.

The Ben Line steamer Benglos, from Lon-

don and Antwerp, left Singapore for this port on the 12th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 19th The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Antenor, from Liverpool, left Singapore for this port

and may be expected here on or about the 20th inet. The Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's str. Amphi-Tax Manila Comercio of the 3rd lostant trife left Singapore on the 14th inst. and may be expected here on or about

the 2 ist inst. The E. & A. Steamship Co.'s steamer Tannadios left Sydney for this port on the 29th instant, and may be expeoted here on or about the 21st inst. The steamship Independent left Singapore on the 10th instant for this port via

DOOK MOVEMENTS :this morning. The Whampoa went to Kowloon this

Saigon and Haiphong.

The China left Kowloon Dock this ORDER OF CHORAL SERVICE AT ST. JOHNS CATHEDRAL. —24TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY. Woodward & Dupins Ta Doum

Dykes in E - Kist ; Jubilate, Wallace

Anthem, Jesu, word of God (Gou-nod); Kyrie, Tours No. 1; Hymn. Evensong :- Psalms, Oakeley : Magnificat. Smart : Nunc Dimittis, Felton

Hymns, 241, 172, 174, BERYICESOP THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND FOR TO-MORROW. — 24TH SUNDAY ASTER TRINITY.

8 s.m. - (Parade Service.) Morning Prayer Holy Communion. 5.45 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.

11 a.m. - Morning Prayer, Sermon, and Holy Communion 6.30 p.m.—Evening Prayer, and Sermon

Central Station. We do not attach Nominarious for the Hongkong Derly close the same importance to the popular cry on the 19th December, not 23rd January,

evident desire to kill the policeman, The Agent of the Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's seems to point to a conflict of objects and reasons: between certain sections of Steam Navigation Company informs us that the service. It is curious to note that | the Company's steamship Amphibitie left

dited with the entire responsibility of THE Superintendent of the P. & O. Co. these permits, when his mame does not informs us that the S. S. Malwa, with the noxt English mail, left Singapore for Hongkong yesterday, the 13th instant, at 4 p.m. what else he may have to do with a Misses Butterfield & Swire inform us that

> the O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Antenor, from Liverpool, left Singapore for this port yesterday afternoon, and is due here on of about the 20th instant. THE Glenogle, which sailed yesterday for

Home, took with her about 5,500 halfchests and 3,262 boxes of tea, 560 bales of strawbraid, and a quantity of wool and waste silk, cargo salved from the Glenfruin. THE typhoen which was reported to be

moving across Luzon on the 7th instant, caused very little damage, either ashore or affont. The Northern provinces of the Island suffered most,

WE have to acknowledge receipt of the Shanghai Mercury's account of the Shanghai Autumn Races for 1885 in pamphlet form. We have to congratulate our contemporary on its prompt issue of this handy

THE project of a national bank, supported by government funds, aided by shares taken tive from a riot and a possible Royal by merchants, with branches in Peking, Commission. It is at all times a dangerous | Shanghai, Hongkong, etc., has been adoptthing to undervalue or to disparage the ed. -Shen Pao's Peking Correspondent, Oc-

> THE new gunboat Manileno, constructed by the Hongkong and Whampos Dock Co. arrived safely at Manila, but not without the misfortune of meeting with the bad weather prevalent about the coast of Luzon during the end of last week. The little craft had to put into Subic for shelter during the height of the typhoon.

An American telegram says :-- Victoria, October 9.—The town is full of Chinamen awaiting passage to China. These are discharged railway hands, who see no prospect of obtaining employment on the coast. It is estimated that 4000 will leave within a month for home. The steamship Wilmington, the ship Spartan, and the barque Alden Besse are on the berth for Hongkong, filling rapidly. In the aggregate they carry 1300.

THE idea of illuminating Manila by gos has again been revived, says the Comercio. A prospectus for the purpose of carrying the idea into effect was presented to the Municipal Board at their meeting on the night of the 6th instant, when it was resolved to appoint a commission to consider and examine the proposits made by Mesers Barlow & Wilson, who are ready to undertake to illuminate the town of Manila and Ulusses, Oct. 27; Oopack, Canton, its vicinities.

This morning, Ahmat, a seaman lately employed on board the British barque Three Co. steamer Melbourne, laft Saigon for Brothers, was charged by Captain Kahleke, master of the barque, before Captain Rumsey, the Acting Herbour Mester, with con-The next English Man, per the P. & O. ducting himself in an insubordinate manner. Co.'s steamer Malua, left Singapore and with using abusive language to the mate (Gustav Luck). The evidence of the captain and mate was to the effect that defendant had been found asleep on several occasions when he should have been at work and on watch, that he had used abusive language to the chief officer, that he had threatened to kill the boatswain, and that he had gone on shore without leave. After hearing the defence, which was a complete denial of all the accusations, Captain Rumsey ordered that defendant should forfeit on the afternoon of the 13th instant, four days pay, and also the amount paid for a substitute while he was on shore.

publishes the following interesting item among its Home news ;-On the 5th September, the notary who wrote the will of Admiral Courbet sent off a precis of that important document to the President of the Central Shipwrecked Salving Society in the following concise terms : Pescadores, March 28,1885.—I bequeath to the Central The Galveston went to Kowloon Dock Society for saving shipwrecked people all my savings in money, and in moveable properties. These consist of the savings from my salary, and I hope this will meet with the approval of my sisters, sisters-in-law and nieces, seeing that they are in easy circumstances, Admiral Courbet is stated to have been one of the founders of the Society mentioned. Whether the money and property bequeathed be large or small, the gift is a generous one.

When the examiners for the Manchu Translation Examination were entering the Psking Examination Hall on the 20th October, a European with a European child entered. the outer gate and made for the enclosure to look about. The officials on duty did 11 a.m.-Morning Prayer, Sermon, and | all they could to stop him, telling him that t was an Examination Hall and the law forbade sightseers. The European would not listen but forced his way in. The officials did not know what to do, so he strolled through the gate of the Hall and looked at the rows of cells. Then he went up the stairs to the Watch Tower, and presently walked up to the Examiners' Hall. The inspecting officials stopped him and saked his business. He produced a passport setting forth his name, abode, etc. The officials threw it back and asked what post he now occupied. The affair was at once reperted to the Throne, and a prescript has been received handing the case over to the Consorate and the Tsungli Yamen for coneideration -- Shen Poo's Peking Correspondent, November 3rd.

Save the San Francisco Chronicles-The Eastern newspapers seem to think that the departure of General Wilson for China means the securing of contracts by Ame-

railroads. It may be that American railroad builders will be called upon to do this work, but it serrolly, seems probable, so long as the English Government is represented by so able a financier and diplomat as Sir Robert Hart. He has lately refused the position of British Minister in order to retain that of Inspector-General of Customs. If there are any fat railroad contracts to be let he is not the man to allow the Americans to step in and capture them His influence with Li Hung Chang is great, as was shown by the result of his appeal for peace in the late war, and this would outweigh any underbidding on the part of Americans. China has never been governed, on the principle that the lowest bid for contract work should be accepted. There would be no perquisites for mandarins in such an arrangement.

'FRAGRANT WATERS' MURMUR That the Police Magistrates are to be congratulated upon the determination they have shown to support the Police, and That the mercantile instinct is very strong put down the growing arrogant spirit of

the native rowdy class. That it can never be too frequently called That the known power of the wire-pullers to mind that the vast native population of this Island is governed by a small number of Britishers, and that firmness is always greatly needed.

quately our officials comprehend the requirements of trade, and how unjust it is to turn a merchant steamer into a That these fragmentary suggestions are hospital hulk wherein to breed disease. That the public are very little the wiser after the Marine Court of Inquiry on the Greyhound, save that the path of duty was apparently much intercepted by

That unless something is done soon to strike terror into the hearts of the law- That it cannot possibly be carried on as a less, there will ere long be another catastrophe to chronicle.

That the piratical nests on the West Coast · should be harried. That Hongkong sympathises with the

widow in her serrow. That it will never do to introduce race distinction in the matter of taxation and

civil rights in a British Colony. That the Peak Tramway will be a well- That the lessees in such a case could not deserved success.

That one may make a journey from the P. & O. Office to West Point, and never meet a policeman, native or foreign.

That the Chinese might be educated up to the observance of the rules of the road, so that the growing traffic might be rendered safe.

That hawkers ought not to be allowed to obstruct the way.

That native roughs ought not to be permitted to pass ribald jests upon unprotected females, or level uncivil remarks at the maternal relatives of foreigners passing by.

That children of tender years should not

wheels of the rapid jinricksha. in the middle of the road with their ricebowl and chop-sticks.

That the Western Praya is a perfect chaos, which requires effective regulation.

That the Junk people seem to take a delight in obstructing the way to the new wharf, and that the destruction of more floating property may therefore be looked for.

That the Insurance Companies and shipbour Commission.

are tied.

thereto.

the rates.

as the poor foreigner can see.

will be tabooed.

business stopped even for a time.

to suit its own ends.

relations and business in Canton.

taken advantage of, and that the boat people were threatened with the ventwo of the principal participators, the wowho polled the wires.

That during the strike a small 3000-picul man's husband, Yau Kwai San, and La Tuk, cargo boat refused as much as \$16 for the watchman who convened the fataltwo hours work, on the pies that the meeting, are not to be found, and probably Canton suthorities would punish the left the Colony directly after the horrible relatives of the crow.

That many of the cargo-boat people are in woman concerned, was brought up to debt to the richer class of compradores the Central Station this morning, but and contractors, who advance them could, or would, give no informmoney to build boats; and that these ation as to where her husband had rich men, who are the real-control. gone. The man Lo Kwai, who gave the lers of the business, never lose a chance first information to the lukong, has cleared of furthering their own interests.

real, but that most probably the almighty dollar was at the bottom of the strike. That the cargo boat population is a most industrious and hard-working class, and that as such the boat people deserve fair

That they will doubtless get fair play, but that they must be made to understand that others have to live by trade besides the boat-carriers.

That the sampan people also require looking after now and again, as they have tendency to blackmail strangers, and when a good chance offers they do not mind cheating a resident. That coul-boats and others under contracts

behaved well during the strike, and were allowed to observe the terms of their

in John Chinaman, but that he rarely goes back on what is 'puttee book.'

has prevented the formation of a foreign. owned cargo-boat company, as it would be exceedingly difficult to get natives to work the boats.

That the Bellona case shows how inade. That the question of importing Japan was at one time mooted, but was aban-

> readily presented to the Committee appposed to be sitting to consider a remedy for the grievance.

> That the Steam Laundry is an undoubted sanitary boon to the Colony, and that will be a matter of much regret if it be

charitable institution, is a self-evident

That want of sufficient support seems to be the cause of the present difficulties, and not its inherent faults.

That the necessity of closing it might be got over if the native washing guild could be induced to lease the works from the Company.

fail to resp a rich reward.

That the peculation of stewards on washing bills, etc., is one of the smallest squeezes borne by shipowners in the harbour; and that the coal squeezes would make people stare were it possible to bring them home to the parties concerned.

That some of those 'ways that are mean are now getting to be known, and that some day a reckoning will be made.

BROWNIE.

TERRIBLE TRAGEDY AT TAI-TAM.

Information which was received yesterday by the Police leaves little room for be allowed to stumble amongst the doubt that a tragedy of a very similar nature to that enacted just about a year That old women, aged men and small boys, ago at Tant-taz-noul, -when a man and should be debarred from dawdling about woman were backed to death and their bodies dismembered by a number of the Hakka clan, as an execution of lynch-law for alleged adultery, -has taken place at

the village of Tai-tam-tuk. In this instance the cause of the horrible crime is believed to have been the same. but only the man has suffered death. The men who are believed to have been concorned in the affair, twelve or thirteen, are Hakkas, and are all members of owners will soon be agitating for a Har- the Sam Hop Wui, or Triad Society. The facts at present disclosed are briefly as That this may prove a grand chance for follows, -Information was recently given our energetic Acting Harbour-Master, to by a lukong that he had heard from one of attain fame and the gratitude of mer- the Hakka inhabitants of Tai-tam Tuk that a man there had been put to death by a That either the Harbour-Master's staff is number of his clausmen, for alleged adultery at present utterly inadequate to regulate | with a woman of the clan, and buried on the Harbour traffic, or that their hands the hillside. Yesterday, as soon as the information was received, enquiries were That the Harbour-Master does his best set on foot by the Police, and from the with the machinery at his command, but information obtained warrants were, issued that the traffic has so enormously in- for the arrest of twelve men who were creased that the old system is unequal believed to be concerned in the murder. Inspectors Perry and Mackie succeeded in That unless an Ordinance is passed to re- arresting two of the men at 5 p.m. yestergulate the hire of cargo boats, the Chi- day, and Sergt. Butlin arrested another nese will always take advantage of a and also proceeded to the grave on p.m. yesterday, I arrested the first defend- spondence with those, who have left the windy day, or the simultaneous arrival the hillside at Tai-tam Tuk, where the of several steamers from home, to put up remains of the mardered man was buried. From the information at present obtain found the body of a human being, greatly in the course of last year adopted Williams' That too muches pidgin, or too muches able concerning the tragedy it appears wind is made to rule the charges, so far that the deceased man. Leang Asau, who was an earth-coolie employed on the That Mercantile houses do not care to pro- Tai-tam Water Works, was believed to have secute while the law on the matter is committed adultery with Loung Aching, pointed out to him as two of the men con- daily routine throughout the year, this uncertain, and while their compradores the wife of a head coolie, named Yau Kwai cerned in the murder of Leung Asau. assure them that if they do their hongs Sau, who lived in Queen's Road East. Upon this becoming known to the hus-That it might be ruin to steamer agents in band and his clan, a meeting was callthese days of competition to have their ed and a dinner given by Li Ki Tuk, a watchman employed at Messrs Jardine Chu Kam, a fishmoner in the Central Mar- Suss, together with the lady-superintendent, That the Guild, or some other power in Matheson & Co's, who appears to have the background, possesses the means of been a prominent member of the Triad till the key of which was hung up in the putting pressure on the cargo boat people Society. At this meeting it appears to stall, early this morning, and also found have been decided to execute summary That many of the cargo-boat people have vangeauce upon the unfortunate coolie, Loung Asau, and the same night, the 27th That during the late strike this fact was or 28th October, the deceased was taken outside the village of Tai-tam Tuk, and hacked to death, more than a dozen men

deed was committed. Loung Aching, the

rican firms for supplying the Chinese with That the patriotic outcry may have been to get any evidence in the case. The Coroner, Mr H. E. Wodohouse, has come to the decision, that as the body of the decessed is, from Sergt. Buthin's description. too much decomposed for identification. is useless to hold an inquest. Owing to the clannish character of all the people concerned and the fact that the murder

was committed under the aggis of the Triad Society, the members of which are afraid for their lives to make any disclusures, there will doubtless be great difficulty experienced by the police in bringing the guilty parties to justice, but we trust that

cond finico such as the late Taat-tez-mui Tai-tam Tuk is a small village, on the South-East part of the Island, about three

CRICKET.

THE HONGKONG ORIGHET CLUB

miles this side of Stanley. --

THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE REGIMENT. This match was continued to-day aplendid weather and upon a good, though lively wicket. The Club team, which scored 199 yesterday for four wickets, continued their innings, but owing to a great extent to a great improvement in the bowling of Messrs Graham and Smith, they did not succeed in maintaining the heavy scoring with which the innings commenced. Mr Foss, the popular secretary of the Club, might have made a stand and added considerably to the score, but unfortunately, almost immediately after he went to the wicket he was struck by a ball on the elbow joint, and for the time incapacitated from further action, \_ We are happy to hear that the blow will not be likely to cause any lasting injury. Captain Maturin and Mr G. S. Coxon added sixteen each to the acore of the Club, and the innings finished for a total of 244. The Regiment, in their second innings, generally showed much better form than on the previous day and succeeded in accoring a total of 119, to which Mr Parkin, a most promising crickoter, contributed 35, Mr Bramwell 22, and Mr Graham, the howler of the Regiment, 14. The match thus ended by a victory to the Club by an innings and 79 runs. We expect to me the Northamptonshire Regiment do much better than this after they

doubtedly a number of good cricketers amongst them. The Band of the Regiment played choice selection upon the ground during the afternoon and added much to the enjoymant of the spectators, of whom there were a good number-upon, and around the ground

HONGKONG C. C.

4. PIRAT INNINGS.

The following are to-day's scores :-

have had a little practice, as there are un-

E. Davies, o Bub. b Graham,.... F. H. O. Wilson, b Graham,
Capt. Maturin, c Bramwell, b Smith,
G. S. Coron, b Smith H. Foss, retired hurt, ... NORTHAMPTONSHIRE REGIMENT. Pte. Grant, b Baril C. Metcalfe, b Jackson, A. Bramwell, b Barff, 22
D. Graham, c Grimble, b Jackson, 14
A. Lloyd, b Barff, 3
P. Pedler, b Darby, 11 Parkin, b O. Smith, c Maturin, b Leach, ... A. B. H. Drew, c Davies, b Leach, .....

> Police Intelligence. (Before E. Mackean, Esq.) Saturday, Nov. 14.

THE TAI-TAM TUK TRAGEDY. Li Aloi, 45, coolie, Lum Afuk, 24, shopman, and Liu Tin Po. 36, contractor, all from Kwaishin, were charged with feloman named Leung Asau, on the 28th Oct

1885, at Tai-tam Tuk in this Colony. John Butlin, P.S. 51, deposed :- Yesterday, the 13th Nov., in consequence of a complaint made to me, I laid an informa-

posed that at 5 p.m. yesterday he arrestedthe second and third defeadants, who were

next, at 3 p.m.

Complainant missed the money from his the defendant had gone. In the meanwhile, the defendant tried to get away by the Cant n boat last ovening, but as he appeared particularly anxious to avoid the police, he was arrested by P.S. Macdonald

Defendant was sentenced to six months' attendance on the occasion.

Li Atak, a servant in the employ of P.C. Miners, at the Yau-ma-ti Station, was convicted of stealing sundry groceries belonging to his employer and was sentenced to 6 weeks' hard labour.

ROGUES AND VACABONDS AND DEUNAS. Stephen Ewart, an unemployed seaman, who was found drunk and incapable in Queen's Road last night and who pleaded guilty to having no fixed place of residence, out, and it appears a most difficult business was sent to Gaol for one month.

with about twelve others at Tai-kok-tsui. hour crowds of them began to assemble 10 .- One Mile and Three Quarters. Upon his arrest he assaulted P. C. Hadden outside the venerable church-yard of St. and bit his finger. He was sentenced to a Luke's, Chelses, to catch a glimpse of the month's hard labour, and two of his devoted widow, who scorning the imputafellow gamblers, who were arrested, tion of her rivals, had so gonerously haswere fined \$1 and 50 cents respectively. tened home from India to make the

PUBLIC GAMBLING. Cheung Acheung, of No. 20 Cleverly Street, appeared on a summons taken out by Inspector Perry for keeping an agency for Tez-fa, and was fined \$50 or two month's

Chan Aling, of 30 Cochrane Street, alan adfault two month's hard labour. this case will not be allowed to and in a se-

DANGEROUS CHARACTEES.

The six men who were arrested by Inapectors Lindsay and, Bremner at 23 Upper Station Street, on the 7th inst., armed, and it was believed, preparing for an atmenths, in default to be committed.

ATPROACHING VESSELS IN QUARANTINE. Chun Sai Yan, Wan Ashing and Kwok produced a special licence. Asau, boatmen, were charged with unlaw- A half-past twelve the hum of voices fully approaching within 30 yards vessel in quarantine this morning.

Defendants admitted being near steamer, but not going alongside. were fined \$10, or one month's hard labour. We believe the str. in question was the M. M. Co.'s S.S. Soghalien, from Shanghai, which hoisted the Quarantine flag for a few. minutes after her arrival, as they had had a death on board from brain-fever during the voyage. The vessel was granted pratique directly after the Health Officer boarded

THE BERLIN FOUNDLING HOUSE.

The following extracts from the annual report of the Berlin Foundling House Bethesda in Hongkong for 1885 will be found of general interest. We wish the Director and his assistants overy success in their good work :-

Surprise has been expressed by some of careful, not by the existence of this house for the stern delights of a political honeyto give Chinese parents the impression that they were justified in getting rid of their children, or perhaps even acquired a merit by giving them to a Foundling Hospital. in Hongkong). This house is not intended

save those who would certainly perish with- he proposed the health of the bride. out our interference. Therefore, as often as Chinese parents in this colony want to bring us their children, much as we should like to educate them, still we regard it as our duty to refuse them. For we know that they will not be allowed by the gov- fourth day's proceedings at the Autumn ernment, to throw the children away. But we should be very glad if more of the female infants killed every year in Kwangtung province, could be saved and sent to us. We are always glad to receive them, for the longer we are engaged in the educational work, the more we feel it is a blessod one and deserving of being greatly in-

On the other hand, it is, perhaps, better for all concerned, pupils and guardians, that the number of children in the house is not greater, for the task of those in charge of the house is just heavy enough and there is a fear that the individual, family-like treatment of the children would become an impossibility if the numbers were to increase materially. And they need this individual care so much, the more so as they are girls In the course of the summer a large proportion of our children began to cough and to feel weary, so that we had to give the niously, wilfully and maliciously killing a school-holidaya earlier than we intended. Doctor Gerlach, who always very kindly takes care of our patients, assured us that

they would soon get over it.

In the school we have always, beside the Chinese character, taught reading and writtion and procured twelve warrants to arrest | ing in a romanised system. This was found twelve different men for the murder of very useful not only as an exercise of the one Leung Asan, at Tai-tam Tuk. At 4.30 mind, but also practically, to keep up correaut in a matshed at Tai-tam Tuk. I was house, for it leads to the simple expression then conducted to a recently-made grave of their own ideas. Instead of Lepsius's on the hill side, which was opened. I system, which we used formerly, we have decomposed. The first defendant was point employed in most Cantonese dictionaries. ed out to me as one of the men concerned in The change for a time gave much additional trouble, the more so as also those who have Nicholas Perry, Inspector of Police, de left the school-had to be taught the new way of writing. School-work of course one of the most important items in the branch of our institution being under Go-The case was then remanded until Friday | vernment inspection. But tolearn theroughly every kind of house work, such as washing, ironing, making their clothes, cooking, etc., is considered as of equal value for the Chan Afuk, a coolie, was charged with future lives of our pupils and is therefore stealing \$95, the property of his employer, considerationally supervised day by day. Miss in this respect has charge of the elder girls. Mr August's grey Mon-One girl was married early this year to a Christian Chinose teacher in Hongkong, Mr Metropolis's grey whilst four others were promised in marriage to Chinese Christians. This is the Mr Paul's dun Farewell, aim which we have in view with the

In conclusion we beg to invite all our friends to the celebration of Christmas eve as a suspicious character and the money, as in the Chapel of the Foundling House on to the possession of which he could not the evening of the 24th December at 5.30 give a satisfactory account, found upon him. p.m. It consists of a liturgical service. This morning, when complainant came up which will occupy less than half-an-hour geance of the Canton mandarins by those taking part in the horrible deed. Of these, to the Station to make his report, he iden and will be followed by the presentation of tified the defendant as his absconding gifts to our children under the Christmas tree. We entreat the honour of a numerous

> SIR CHARLES DILKE'S WEDDING. The wedding of Sir Charles Dilke Mrs Pattison is thus chronicled in a special

Pastor.

FERDINAND E. W. HARTMANN,

telegram to the New York Herald :-London 3rd October, -The brightest October supuline blessed Mrs Mark Pattison to-day on her wedding with Sir Charles Dilke . She had expressed a wish to marry him in the midst of his com-

Lo Apat, a hawker, was found gambling stituents, and soon after the breakfast or more Races, 15lbs extra-Entrance Tis. Radical champion her conservative care. Not till close on noon, however, did the bumptious beadle throw the church-door open. When he did there was at once a

rush into the building. The rich, the poor, the respectable, the unrespectable brushed in helter-skelter. Lai Chak Tong, of 17 Battery Road, and, saw two curates cheek by jowl with Mand Forrester of Lady Godie and Astley's mitted similar charges lodged against them renown, while ladies in society and out of by Inspectors Lindsay and Staunton, and society were elbowed by butcher boys, word both fined in the same amount, in de- washerwomen and mechanics. Evidently the bridegroom was radical, even in his

Shortly after, looking down from my point of vantage in the gallery, I saw Sir Charles walk up the aisle dressed in a black Prince Albert coat, dark gray trousers and wearing a lily-the emblem of tack upon a pawn shop, were brought purity—as a boutomière. Beside him up to-day upon remand, whom one of the walked his best man, whom the last number of Punch called Joe Chamberlain, my evidence, was di charged, the other five Jos-rad.' He was fresh from his Bradbeing ordered to find two sureties of \$25 ford oratorical triumphs. Forsaking for catch him up, but the race ended in a vio- been seriously injured. There were no each for their good behaviour for six the day his accustomed orchid, he also were a lily. Dilke, Jr., the further baroarms found in their possession were to be net, a lad of twolve, walked behind and seemed happy at the prospect of a now mamma. The whole party at once retired to the vestry, where the happy bridegroom

> of m heralded the arrival of the bride, attended by her brother, Col. Strong, who was to the give her away, and two nieces. Mrs Pattison Mr Ten Brocok's black They is a lady may be of thirty-five, with a frank, intelligent and winning face, gentle eyes and a wealth of chestnut hair. She never winced as she quietly but proudly moved between the rows of gossiping people to-

ward the communion table. Her dress was rich but simple for obvious reasons. This being the second marriage of both the bride and bridegroom; it had been decided not to have an elaborate wedding. She wore a tight-fitting corsage and skirt of pale fawn some call it cream-coloured brocade. The dress terminated in a long train and was caught at the side by ribbons of the same material. On her head was a dainty 'Princess' bonnet to match. Around her shapely throat

was a broad lace collar. A very serious look came over the bridegroom's bold and bearded face as he moved to join his bride. Mrs Pattison was a veritable picture of contentment, our friends, that the Berlin Foundling though her eyes were misty. Mr Cham-House, having been established in 1850, berlain with his eye-glass presented his ushas not by this time assumed far greater wal Mephistophelian inscrutability. The proportions as regards the number of child- service was short, and Sir Charles and Mrs ren, there being at present not more than Pattison made their 'I wills' unfalter-81. This has been the average now for ingly. At the proper moment Mr Champretty many yours past. We have never berlain handed the ring to the bridegroom. tried to increase the numbers, in fact we Nobody arose at the eleventh hour to forhave been obliged yearly several times to bid the wedding, and in a few minutes the refuse children who were brought to us. happy couple were walking down the aisle The reason for this was not want of money, again, this time arm, in arm, toward Sir for, though there has been some difficulty Charles's neat little brougham. As they of late to raise the necessary funds, the left the church the joybells rang out and good God has always still provided us with at least five thousand people shouted, and what we wanted. But we have always been so they whirled away for a day to prepare

It seems that the couple were engaged years ago when each was single. The engagement was broken off by a foolish A missaionary lady, Mrs Lörcher, in Lilong, lovers' quarrel. Her. late husband being once was very much surprised to hear a aware of it, desired that after his death Chinese woman argue in favour of her good his widow should marry Sir Charles, the heart, that she already in four cases instead Rev. Mark Pattison enjoining his brother of killing her new-born babes had allowed to see the lady through her widowhood them to be taken away for the foreign de- and into her second wedlock. Mrs Patvils (meaning the Berlin Foundling House tison was left a fortune of £40,000. Frank Pattison was present as a final discharge of to further or give an excuse for the cruel the trust confided to him by his brother,

enstons of putting away children, but to and he provided the wedding feast, where THE SHANGHAI RACES. The following record of the third and meeting of the Shanghai Race Club is abridged from the account issued by the

Stanghai Mercury :-

THIRD DAY. Saturday, 7th November, 1885. The weather was again remarkably fine; the temperature was perfection. tendance was of course large, but there was plenty of elbow-room in the Stand ting sun was remarkable it was like the golden brown of the European farm labourer, only a little more copper-coloured. The racing was good the results were a series of sarprizes. In fact, it has been a fielder's meeting right through. The win of the Champions was very popular; Mr Mr Toeg's brown Iris, Mr Kremor has employed a great deal energy in racing matters, and infused much Mr Sidney's bay Oriole, life into the sport.

1. THE GRAND STAKES. - A SWEEPATAKES and a Half.

Mr Ilbert's grey Games-Mr Paul's grey Cuckoo.-Mr Hutchings...... 13 1 11 1-2 Mr Toeg's grey Starwort, Mr Dallas ...... 13 0 10 12-3

The field was backed against Gamester. The three kept together for the first mile at a moderate pace; then there was a quarter of a mile race between the trio, which resulted in Gamester winning easily. Time THE FLYAWAY PLATE - Value,

100. - For China Ponies -- Weight for inches as per scale. - Entrance, Tls. 5. -Seven Furlongs. Mr Toeg's skewbald Hers-

golian, Mr Reynell. ... 13 Mr Nickels...... 13 1 11 1-0 Mr Godolphin's grey Nectar. Mr Dunman ... 12 3 10 9-0 Mr Toeg's dun Leo, Mr Hart Buck ...... 13 1 11 1-0

Nectar was backed against the field. Farewell fell out of the cluster first. Then there was an exciting race, which ended in a dead heat between Herschel and Mongolian, who were fully a length before Cheapside. Nectar was fourth. There were not three lengths from the first to the last.

Friar, Mr Hutchings . 13 3 11

Mr John Peel's Jolly

Mr Buxey's bay Fun,

Time 1.51 The dead heat was run off at once. Mongulian was soon tired, and his rider pulled him up and walked home.

Race, 71bs. catra; two Races, 121b., three with Gamester, Nectar fifth. Time 2.42.

Mr Ten Brocok's chestnut Wild Jack Mr Hut-Mr Kremor's roan Lucifer, Mr Dunman...... 12 8 10 9-2 Mr Paul's chestunt -Tennesse. Mr Allan ...... 13 0 11 5-3 Mr Paul's grey Piccadilly, Mr Tell's groy Con Amore, Mr Ruege ..... 12 Mr Kesteven's white Chartreuse, Mr Easton. 13 1 11 Mr. Sandy's grey Poppo.

Tennesco and Poppo, the penalized ponies, seemed to be the favourites. long lead; at the mile post, however, he herbe, 'I am leading still.' The reion were had shot his bolt, and the others passed loose. Mr Head was apparently not prehim Piccadilly soon took a back seat. pared for the jump, and in trying to take Lucifer, Charteuse and Peppo showed in it, came to utter grief; his forehead struck front. Before the turn in was reached the the ground and he was stunned. Drs Henrace looked as if it were Wild Jack's. Mr derson, Mac'eod and Milles were promptly Hutchings had to use all his determination on the ground, also Liout. Woods, U.S. N. to keep Wild Jack going; there was a they had the sufferer conveyed to Mr severe struggle on the part of Lucifer to Browne's house. We believe he has not tory for Wild Jack by half a length. The more events; the ponies cleared all the others were not in it. Time 3.571.

4.—The Minchu Stakes.—A Sweepstakes of Tis. 5 each, with Tis. 100 added-For China Ponies that have run and not won a Race. First Pony to receive 70 per cent; Second Pony, 20 per cent .: Third Pony, 10 per cent. Weight for inches as per scale, \_ learning his jumps. A rider could not be One Mile and a Quarter.

Wild Joke, Mr Hut-Mr H. Sylva's grey Slipaway, Mr Pond...... 13 1 11 1-2 Mr Provis's grey Sheridan. Mr Nickels..... Mr Aidee's grey Blair Athol. Mr Reynell., 12 3 11 1-0 Mr Metropolis's grey Holborn, Mr Allan...... 13 1 11 1-0 Mr Godolphin's grey Pongelow. Mr Hough...... 13 3 11 7-0 Mr Rodney's grey Grey Pearl: Mr Dallas...... 13 1 11 1-0 Mr Dunn's grey Detective, Mr Dunn....... 13 1 11 1-0

Mr. Kramor's chestnut

Chancellor, Mr Dun-Slipsway seemed to be the favourity They kept very well together for half a When the field began to tail, Holborn, Pongelow and Slipaway showed in front. Holborn made a strong effort up the Straight, but Wild Joke came out with a rush and just caught Slipaway in the nick of time, winning by a neck. Sheridan good third; Chancellor a neck behind.

THE CHAU-SHANG-KIUK CUP. - Value. Tla. 500. - Presented by the Employes of the C. M. S. N. Co., of Shanghai. -For China Ponies that have never run at any Meeting in China or Hongkong previous to date of entry at each Meet. ing.-To be won at two consecutive Meetings by Ponics the bond fide property of the same owner or owners .-Weight for inches as per scale. - Entrance. Tls. 10; to be paid to the Mr August's grey Mongolian Sin-Winner until the Cup is finally won, when the Second Pony will receive Mr Kremur's bay Editor, Ahsing. 9 the Entranco fees .- One Mile.

Browne's grey Pathfinder, Mr Allan ...... Mr John Peel's spotted Freckles, Mr Nickels. 12 3 10 11-2 Mr Rodney's grey Grey Pearl, Mr Sandy's grey Bon Ami, Mr Pond....... 13 0 10 11-3 Bon Ami was backed against the field.

This event resolved itself into a proces-Bon Ami; both ridden out. Time 2.13. 2.411. 6.-THE CONSOLATION CUP.-Value, Tls.

100 .- For Ponies that have run at this Meeting and not won a Race. - Weight for inches as per scale. Entrance, Tls. 5 .-- Once Round, Mr Moran's dun Moon.

Mr Kremor's roan Lucifer, Mr Dunman..... 12 3 10 8-2 Mr Worthy's dun Remns, late Gitano, Mr Hutchings ...... 13 1 11 1-3 Mr Paul's grey Cuckbo, Mr Paul's chestnut Ross Mr Paul's brown Sunlight. race by the shortest of noses; Cheapside a Mr Nickels ...... 12 3 10 11-0 length behind the leading pair. Nothing

Mr Weed's grey Harasser. Mr Malherbe...... 12 3 14 0-0 Mr Metropolis's grey Cheapside, Mr Dunn. 13 0 11 0-0 5.-THE BIG Sweet Cor.-Value, Tla. Hart Buck ...... 13 1 11 1-0 Mr Reynell...... 13 1 11 1--0 Cuckoo indulged the spectators at the

of Tle. 5 each, with Tis 100 added .- | Stand with his usual circus performances. For China Ponies that have never been At length the start was made when he raced previous to the 1st January, was on the bound, and they went well 1885. - Weight for inches as per ecale. away. Oriole and Harasser cut out the Winners of a Race of One Mile and a running; the result was that Moon con-Half or over, 7lbs. extra; to or more woled his owner by winning a Tls. 100 Cur secure second place, which he lost by a neck. Time 2.417. ter, Mr Ilbert ........... 13 2 11 4-1 7 THE CHAMPION SWEEPSTAKES -

forced entry for Winners : optional for the Winner of the Hack Stakes, or am post; he was joined by Lucifer when the Consolation Cup, and all other they had been about once round. Before Ponies that have been placed at this Meeting not exceeding 14 hands in height-Weight for inches as per scale. -Entrance, Tla. 10. - Winners of two Races, Tls. 15 extra; of more than two Races. Tis. 40 extra. One Mile and a Quarter: 

Red Gauntlet, Mr Easton ......10 12-2 Gamester, Mr Ilbert 11 4-3 Pathfinder, Mr Dunn......11 The field was backed against Bed Gaunt-

let. Conqueror was next favourite, at about 4 to T; Councillor next, at about Nectar led at the rails, with Pathander

pext and then Conqueror. The three went far away from the field. At the mile post Red Gauntlet took the lead of the ruck Mr Pond 19 3 11 7-0 and he gradually passed his horses one by one; first Pathfinder, then Conqueror; up the Back Straight his rider took a pul upon him, but after pasting Conqueror be approached Nectar, who put on a spurt about the Cemetery Rand Dunkeld hegai to come to the front. Red Gauntlet had a race with Nectar into the Straight run in, till nearing the red houses he began to run away from his field. His rider was tooconfident: a race is not won until the judge's eyes are caught He was caught napping by Councillor, who was splendidly 3.—THE CORNOPOLITAN COP - Value, The ridden; his rider saw the opportunity and 150 : Second Pony. The 50. - For came with a magnificent rush, catching Red China Ponies.-Weight for inches as per Gauntlet on the post, and winning by half scale-Winners at this Meeting of one a length. Bad third; Dunkeld close up

8 -THE GRAND NATIONAL STREPLECHASE. Value, Tls. 150 .- For China Ponies .-Weight for inches as per scale. Winners of a Steeplechase at this or any previous Meeting in Shanghai, 10lbs. extra, - Twice Round a Course selected

Ly the Stewards. Mr Mat. Dawson's black Prince, Mr Malhorbe... 13 3 11 7-1 Mr Mat Dawson's chestnut Montezuma. Mr Mr John Peel's grey Jolly

Friar, Mr Hough...... 13 3 11 7-9 1-0 Mr Ilbert's bay Presto. Mr Hend...... 13 0 \*11 8-6 \* Including 10lbs. extra.

Presto was leading up to the Grand Stand jump, with Black Prince close up. Con Amore made the running and took a Mr Head turned round to tell Mr de Malobstacles without a fault : Black Prince reached the steeple about a length before Montezuma. Jolly Friar was very slow in taking his jumps; the old pony has taken to-jumping after a racing career just as long as the existence of the Shanghar Mercury we live and learn, and this fine old racer is found for Hard Times.

FOURTH DAY.

Monday, 9th November, 18 5. It was a beautiful day. No owners cared about sending their ponies for a haif mild 13 0 10 12-3 gallop on the cast iron ground, so the first

mco was The Red Gauntlet Cup. 2. THE RED GAUNTLET CUP. Value, Tis. 100.—Presented.—For Griffins that have run and won a Race at this Meeting. - Weight for inches as per scale, -Entrance, \$5, to go to the second Pony.

-One Mile and Quarter. Slipaway, Mr Hutchings ..... 11 3-1 Chancellor, Mr Dunman. 11 1-2 Con Amore, Mr Ruegg ...... 10 9-3 Holborn, Mr Dallas ...... 11 1-10

Slipsway won in a walk. Chancellor and Holborn kept behind Slipaway and Con Amore. Holborn stopped in the rear all the way. The leading pair were some 3 or 4 lengths aboud of the other two. Chancellor began to come to the front at Probat's Gardens. At the half mile post his rider had to stir his stumps to get on even terms with the leading horses, but he only succeeded in finishing a length behind Slipnway. The rider of Con Amore claimed a foul against the rider of the winner. Time

-THE MAPOO'S RACE. -For Ponies that have run at this Mooting. - Winners at this Meeting excluded. - Weight, Ost. 71bs. - Entrance, \$5. - One Round. -Native Riders in Racing Colours. —The Stakes to be handed to the Riders as follows: The Winner, #; second rider,

2: third rider, 1. Mr Buxey's grey Belgravia, Asung 9 7-

Mr Jediar's white Estoc. Chifney: 9 7-0 13 1 11 1-1 Mr Kremor's chesnut Chancellor,

Kaifeo ..... 9 7— Mr Tell's grey Con Amore, Achow, 9 9-0 This was a very good race between the first two. Mongolian caught Editor just on sion. Pathander won in a common center. the post after a long strongle up the straight. Freckles finished some lengths shead of Nothing else within three lengths. Time

-THE COUNCILLOR CUR. Value. Tis. 100.—For all Ponies that have run at this Meeting and not won a Race. Weight for inches as per soule - Hrtrance, 35, to go to the Second Pony.

-One Mile. Dandolo, Mr Dunman ..... 10 9-1 Remus, Mr Hutchings...... 11 2-9 Cheapside, Mr Dallas ...... 10 9-8 Har seer, Mr Hough ...... 10 12-0 Con Impeto, Mr Ruegg...... 11 1-0 Doris, Mr Hart Buck ...... 10 12-0 Sheridan, Mr Wickham ..... 10 12-0 Slipaway, Mr Reynell ...... 11 1-0 This was a very good race up the Straight. Remus came with a rush and just lost the

else close up. Sheriden fourth. Time 100.—Presented.—For all Ponies that have run at this Meeting and not won a Race. - Weight for inches as per scale.—Entrance, \$5, to go to the second Pony. One Mile and Three-

quarters. Buster, Mr Ruegg ...... 10 12-0 This was another good race amongst the old cracks that have some down to Fourth Day's racers. Chartreuse and Buster showed in front as long as they could. Fun took the lead of the field about the

the turn in Fun was ridden, shortly after the turn in he was ridden out and Lucifer won easily. Bad third. Chartrense bad fourth. Time 3.545. 6.-THE MAFOO'S CHAMPION RACE.-FOR Uhina Ponies, the property of Members of the Shanghai Race Club-Weight 2st. 7lbs. Entrance, \$5,-Once Round.—Native Riders in Rac-

ing Colours.—The Stakes to be handed to the Riders as follows :- The Winner, 4 : second rider, 2 : third rider, 1. Conqueror, The Pirate...... 9 7-2 Harassor, Abshing..... 9 Dunkeld, The Snipe...... 9 7-0 Wild Jack, The Swine. ..... 9 Peppe, Punch...... 9 7-0 Bon Ami, Ahchang...... 9 Mikrosh Ahsung 9 7-0

Fridolin, Acheong....... 9 7-0 This race was won by Ah Chee, the head trainer at Loongiel. He carried 10 lbs. over weight and gave his papils in the rear a very good lesson in riding. Moon was: splendidly ridden, challenging Conqueror. and, passing him after a severe struggle in the Straight, went away at about the rails and won by two lengths. Nectar, and two others hardly a length a piece behind each

other, Time 2 361. A Sailor's Race was then run. Ten seamen, belong to the French men-of-war Reland and Aspic, mounted ten hacks be. longing to the Shanghai Horse Bazzar There were five prizes; first 230, second \$18, third \$15, fourth \$7, and fifth \$5. The following riders took the first three

Alenany, Roland Bazeau, Roland ...... 3

THE POPE AS A MEDIATOR. news that Germany has proposed and that she was treated for Dyspopsia (her real Spain has agreed to refer the difficulty trouble), all the slarming symptoms of conbetween them regarding the Caroline Is sumption vanished. This is not an isolated lands to the mediation of the Pope, and | cash. The country is full of suffering thouthat Leo XIII. has accepted the office, has sands that are being treated for Liver Combeen as great a surprise there as the re- plaint, Malaria, Kidney Disease, Lung Disvolution in Eastern Rudmelia was to the orders, &c., &c., when the fact is they are whole of Europe. 'The Pope is exceed- afflicted with Indigestion in some of its ingly gratified. He has obtained the varied forms, and all of such sufferers would realisation of one of his most cherished obtain relief if they were properly treated objects. A constant theme in his discourses for Dyspensia. has been the beneficent power which it was the duty of the Roman Pontiff to exercise as modiator between princes, and between princes and peoples. He has hithertovox clamantis in deserto-continually called upon the Powers to turn to him as Vicar | ker, last January was confined to her bed, on earth of the. Prince of Peace; and Be- and had been for twelve months, was under hold, finally, the all-powerful German treatment of three eminout physicians, who Chancellor, the arbiter of the affairs of Eur- said she had Consumption and Heart Diope, appeals to him to mediate between sease. The doctors and all that saw her the great Protestant Emperor and the most | said she was bound to die. But I persuaded Catholic king. Well indeed may Leo XIII. her to take your Seigel Curative Syrup, and be gratified. He will sit as his prodecessors | after having used two and a half 60 did in the Middle Ages to decide be- bottles she was restored to perfect health. tween two great European States; and he and said she felt better than she had for five sees the possibility of the restoration of years. My daughter is now living and enthat power as judge in international ques- joying good health, but had it not been for tions which they claimed and exercised. your medicine she would have been now Moreover, no higher tribute could be paid be dead .- Yours, &c., '(Rev.) M. Melton. his impartiality and sense of justice than

Protestant statesmen have not hesitated to invoke them in a question with a Catholic State, with which, on religious grounds; the Pope must feel the greater sympathy.' Whichever way the Pope's decision may be given, Prince Bismarck (the same correspondent thinks) must be the gainer. Even should the decision be given against him, he will at the worst only get rid of a troublesome question, with the further advantage that he will have a still greater claim to the support of that undoubted power which the Roman Church can exercise in those Eastern' and colonial questions that are of the most consequence to him. Such Liberal newspapers as have already expressed themselves on the subject are agreed in saying that this honour paid to the Pope is due solely to his being no longer a temporal Sovereign, A Berlin correspondent reports that the announcement that the Pope has undertaken the task of mediation between Germany and Spain gives general satisfaction there. The press of nearly all shades of opinion, including the Ultramontane, seems glad the offsir has terminated in such a man-

THE SPANISH POST OFFICE.

MADRID, Sept. 27. The British Government does not appear to place implicit confidence any longer in the Spanish Post Office, a Foreign Office Messenger having arrived at Madrid-the first that has been seen here for a long time. We have long known of the gabinete negro, the black Chamber in the Post Office, of a young lady that had been troubled where letters to and from the capital are, many years with pains after eating. She opened, read, re-enclused, and forwarded | tells us that the pains were entirely taken to their destination, retained, or destroyed. away after a few doses of your medicine .as the case may be. Various occurrences Yours truly, would appear to indicate that the operations of this chamber are in full blast again. Steam for gummed envelopes and red-hot platinum wire for those scaled with wax are no longer adopted to investigate public and private correspondence. The artistic letter and despatch manipulators of the present day have improved upon the science and high art displayed by their predecessors. Their mode of action is almost sublime in its simplicity and effectiveness. Gum and seals are no longer tampered with, and the most careful investigator of the fastening of the envelopes-in-which his letters are enclosed cannot find any trace of their having been touched. They hardly ever think of examining the bottom

possibly be no wiser. But still they have only too often proofs, direct or indirect, that their most secret correspondence is known to those who ought not to know it. A knife sharper than a razor has been run along the bottom of the envelope, the correspondence extracted, read, and replaced. The artist then, with a fine camel's-hair brush, draws a fine line of liquid coment along the opening, applies a slight amount of pressure, and on tearing the envelope open the last part to give way is that thus comented.

But accidents will happen when these operations are conducted on a wholesale scale, and the receiver of a letter is sometimes not a little astonished to find inside his envelope a lotter addressed to somebody else from a place and by a person to him utterly unknown. To my personal knowledge this has happened to an ex-Minister of the highest rank and, of the most undoubted loyalty. What therefore happens with letters of a lower or different category can be easily imagined. Even letters of a personage very near the Throne have not, I understand, been entirely exempt from these inquisitorial perquisitions, and, above and beyond this, the number of letters which in Spain never reach their destination is a crying scandal, of which the whole nation should be ashamed. As to newspapers and telegrams, especially subject to wholesale confiscation.

superfluous, and it is with a feeling of shame that any correspondent who takes at the Yard Arm, and Distance off at the a sincere interest in the progress and prosperity of this country has to record it. I take the opportunity of a friend crossing the frontier to send this telegram, the substituted for the Compass Signal, and it means by which I have hitherto been able will be kept flying until the Ship anchors. to baffle the excessive zeal of the Spanish The Distance Signal will be kept up fifteen officials in the transmission of my despatches with regard to the Carolines question being momentarily, at least, not available. As the Spanish Government may perhaps attempt to take to itself some credit for this result. it may be as well to state that its action has had no influence whatsoever in the matter. It is purely the result of an accident. - The Times.

Comment on such a state of things is

#### TREATED FOR THE WRONG COMPLAINT.

we hold dear, but it is terribly so when we North Point of Hongkong the Distance have the consciousness that but for mistaken | Signal will be hauled down. - If the Mail treatment the loved one might have been | Steamer is not in the Harbour when it is with us still. In some cases the fact that too dark to distinguish flags, a red light will the sufferer is treated for the wrong com- be exhibited at the West Yard Arm, or a SINGAPORE INSURANCE COMPANY, plaint is known in sufficient time to admit green light at the East Yard Arm until she of the patient being saved, and the follow- anchors, ing is a case in point :--

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